

December 13, 1945

Susan Mary Brokaw, 86, Passed Away on Sunday

Mrs. Susan Mary Brokaw, 86, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Vern Tuthill, Sunday afternoon, Dec. 9. She had been in ill health for some time.

Susan Mary Hilton was born near Sparta, Mich., March 10, 1859. There she grew to womanhood and married Theron H. Brokaw. About 1889, they moved to Claremont, S. D., where they homesteaded. Later they moved to near Litchfield, Minn., where Mr. Brokaw died in 1900.

In 1901, she moved to Groton, with her family, where she has made her home, except for a few years spent in North Dakota and Montana.

She leaves to mourn her passing, two daughters, Mrs. Ora Tuthill, Groton; Mrs. Nina Riley, Missoula, Mont., and three sons, Verner H., Tacoma, Wash.; Glenn A., Groton, and Clifton T., Everett, Wash. Also 23 grandchildren and 24 great grandchildren survive. Besides her husband, she was preceded in death by three daughters, one son and two step-sons.

Mrs. Brokaw was a quiet unassuming industrious lady, a good mother and a fine neighbor and friend, who will be missed by all who knew her. The sympathy of a large circle of friends goes to the bereaved family.

Funeral services will be conducted, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Paetznick Funeral Home with Rev. L. C. Benson officiating. Burial at the Groton Union Cemetery.